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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM ATHERTON

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS:PINT, SY, US

SUBJECT: SYRIAN JEWRY

1. WE RECOGNIZE YOU ARE TRYING TO SEE DAOUDI ABOUT THE  
POSSIBLE SYRIAN DECISION TO REJECT THE MARRIAGE PETITIONS.  
GIVEN TIMING OF THIS RECENT SYRIAN ACTION--ON THE EVE OF  
BEGIN VISIT TO WASHINGTON--AND THE POSSIBILITY THAT HE  
WILL LEARN OF IT THROUGH CONGRESSMAN SOLARZ, WE BELIEVE  
YOU MUST SEEK APPOINTMENT WITH ASSAD HIMSELF UNLESS, IN  
THE MEANTIME, DAOUDI COMMUNICATES REVERSAL OF SYRIAN STEP.

2. WE BELIEVE WE MUST BE IN A POSITION TO SAY TO BEGIN,  
IF NECESSARY, THAT YOU ARE SEEING ASSAD ON THE MATTER. VANCE

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